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E.O. 11652: N/A TAGS: PLOS, MU

SUBJECT: OMAN PROMULGATES 200-MILE FISHING ZONE

REF: MUSCAT 0869

1. WE HAVE RECEIVED CIRCULAR DIPLOMATIC NOTE FROM FOREIGN MINISTRY ANNOUNCING THAT SULTANATE HAS EXTENDED ITS FISHING ZONE TO 200 NAUTICAL MILES. THE NOTE ENCLOSES A DECREE SIGNED BY SULTAN QABOOS JUNE 15 PROMULGATING THIS RULE. THE DECREE SAYS THAT, WHENEVER ANOTHER STATE'S COAST CONFINES THAT OF THE SULTANATE, THE MEDIAN LINE WILL BE USED.

2. THE COUNTRY

TO WHICH THE MEDIAN LINE RULE IS AIMED OBVIOUSLY
IS IRAN. WE NOTE THAT THE SULTAN SIGNED
THE DECREE IMMEDIATELY
AFTER RETURNING FROM A BRIEF TRIP TO IRAN. WE ARE NOT INFORMED THAT UNCLASSIFIED

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HE HELD ANY CONSULTATIONS THERE ON THE FISHING ZONE QUESTION, BUT WE PRESUME THE TOPIC WAS DISCUSSED.

3. WE WILL POUCH ANO NOFFICIAL TRANSLATION OF THE DECREE TO ADDRESSEES.
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